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| In Re Application of: Carmello et al.                     |   |   |  |  |  |  |
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| Serial No.: 09/582,887                                    |   | Group Art Unit: 1754  |  |  |  |  |
| Filing Date: August 17, 2000                              |   | Examiner: Johnson, E.   |  |  |  |  |
| For:  | CATALYST, PROCESS FOR ITS PREPARATION, AND ITS USE IN THE SYNTHESIS OF 1,2-DICHLOROETHANE |   |  |  |  |  |
| ì   | RECEIVED FEB 1 9 2002 TC 1700   | I, Doreen Yatko Trujillo, Registration No. 35,719 certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.  On January J. J. Co. J. |  |  |  |  |
| Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 |   |   |  |  |  |  |
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| Sir:  |   |   |  |  |  |  |
|   | RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION TRANSMITTAL LETTER  |   |  |  |  |  |
|   | Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is:            |   |  |  |  |  |
| $\boxtimes$   | An Response to the Office Action Dated October 19, 2001.                                  |   |  |  |  |  |
|   | Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27.               |   |  |  |  |  |
|   | Other:  | ·   |  |  |  |  |
| $\boxtimes$   | An Associate Power of Attorney is $\epsilon$  |   |  |  |  |  |

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| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS                          | 34                              | <b>34</b><br>(20 MINIMUM) |             | \$9 EACH     | \$     | \$18<br>EACH | \$        |
| INDEP.<br>CLAIMS                         | 02                              | <b>03</b><br>(3 MINIMUM)  |             | \$42<br>EACH | \$     | \$84<br>EACH | \$        |
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| ☐ THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME          |                                 |                           |             | \$460        | \$     | \$920        | \$        |
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| ☐ TERMINAL DISCLAIMER                    |                                 |                           |             | \$55         | \$     | \$110        | \$        |
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SHOULD ANY DEFICIENCIES APPEAR with respect to this application, including deficiencies in payment of fees, missing parts of the application or otherwise, the United States Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to promptly notify the undersigned.

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